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Inventors: Wellington et al.  
Title: IN SITU THERMAL  
PROCESSING OF A  
HYDROCARBON  
CONTAINING FORMATION  
WITH A SELECTED  
HYDROGEN TO CARBON  
RATIO

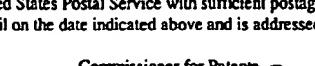
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**Please amend the above-captioned application as follows:**

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks begin on page 17 of this paper.**